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The reply filed on 03-06-03 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): the response does not include details as to what features of claims 24 and 28 make the claims allowable over the applied prior art. A general statement as to the allowability of the claims is not responsive. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Conclusion

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